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SUBJECT: ASSYRIAN AND ARMENIAN REFUGEES

REF: A GENEVA 998, B STATE 035197

1. ALL PARTIES CONCERNED ARE FULLY CONSCIOUS OF URGENCY OF SUBJECT AND PROCEEDING WITH UTMOST POSSIBLE SPEED. HOWEVER, AS POINTED OUT IN REF B, ONE PREREQUISITE FROM UNHCR'S STANDPOINT IS RECEIPT OF REPORT FROM JAEGER AND RIVI WHO RETURNING TO GENEVA FEB 16. DE JONGE ALSO WILL NOT ARRIVE BACK IN BEIRUT UNTIL FEB 16.

2. EARLIEST DATE ON WHICH ALL PARTIES INVOLVED IN OPERATION COULD MEET WAS FEB 19. IT WAS CONSIDERED OF IMPORTANCE THAT, AS IN CASE OF KURDISH REFUGEES, MEETING BE HELD AT PROCESSING POINT WHERE THOSE WHO ARE DIRECTLY CONCERNED (INS, US CONSULAR, UNHCR, ICEM AND WCC REPS) CAN PARTICIPATE AND WHERE SAFEHAVEN FACILITIES CAN BE EXAMINED ON SPOT. ALL PARTICIPANTS AND MISSION CONCUR IN DESIRABILITY OF PROCEEDING WITH LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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MEETING AS NOW SCHEDULED. IN RESPONSE QUESTION, DEPUTY

UNHCR AND DEPUTY CHIEF FOR ASSISTANCE STATED TODAY THAT ASSUMING TECHNICAL DETAILS OF PROCESSING RESOLVED AT FEB 19 SESSION, THEY WOULD BE READY START MOVING FIRST GROUP OF REFUGEES AS SOON AS WCC BEIRUT HAD THEM ORGANIZED.

3. FOR ATHENS AND ROME: AT UNHCR REQUEST, MEETING TIME ADVANCED TO 0930, SUBJECT YOUR CONCURRENCE (BEIRUT PLEASE ADVISE DE JONGE, WCC.) BRUNGART

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